(*a*) the total quantity of tapioca and tapioca flour exported from the State during the current year;

(*b*) whether such export affects the local food supply; and

(*c*) if so, to what extent?

MR. K. R. NARAYANA AIYAR: (*a*) 21,830 tons, 3 cwts. & 96 lbs. of tapioca and 1,903 tons, 13 cwts. and 56 lbs. of tapioca flour have been exported during the first ten months in 1117 M. E.

(*b*) No.

(*c*) In view of the answer to part (*b*) the question does not arise.

MR. K. G. GOVINDAN: May I know whether the quantity exported is the surplus left after meeting the requirements for consumption here?

MR. K. R. NARAYANA AIYAR: Yes, Sir.

Extension of service to officers.

376. ***MR. C. JEBAMONY NADAR** (*Kalkulam* cum *Vilavankod*): Will the Government be pleased to place on the table;

(*a*) a list of officers whose services have been extended during the years 1115, 1116 and 1117 with their respective communities, departments, pay, age, their previous punishments, such as fine, warning, suspension, degradation, reversion, etc.; and

(*b*) whether officers who have been punished with suspension, fine or warning were given promotions in the years 1115 and 1116 overlooking such punishments, and if so, their respective communities, departments and pay?

RAJYASEVAPRAVINA G. PARAMESWARAN PILLAI (*Chief Secretary to Government*): The time and labour involved in the preparation of the list will be out of proportion to its possible utility.

MR. C. JEBAMONY NADAR: கண்டிக்கப்பட்ட ஏதாவது ஒரு உத்தியோகஸ்தருக்கு promotion கொடுக்கப்பட்டிருக்கிறதா என்று தயவு செய்து சொல்ல முடியுமா?

RAJYASEVAPRAVINA G. PARAMESWARAN PILLAI: The question is too vague to be answered.

MR. PADIYARA JOSEPH KUNJU: ഈ ചോദ്യത്തിന്

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എന്നാണ് പറഞ്ഞിരിക്കുന്നത്. തെക്കൻതിരുവിതാംകൂറിൽ ചെത്താളുകളില്ലാത്ത സുന്ദരിവെള്ള, മഞ്ഞക്കുട്ടൻ തുടങ്ങിയുള്ള കപ്പകളുടെ എല്ലാം ഒരു പട്ടിക തയാറാക്കുന്നതിനേക്കാൾ കൂടുതൽ ബുദ്ധിമുട്ട് ഈ ചോദ്യത്തിൽ ചോദിച്ചിരിക്കുന്ന പട്ടിക ഉണ്ടാക്കുന്നതിനു വേണ്ടി വരുമോ?

PRESIDENT: The former is useful and the other is not. That is the opinion of Government.

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